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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 3731

PATENT

Customer No. 22,852

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In re Application of:

Jon GINGRICH et al.

Application No.: 10/808,427

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For: MEDICAL DEVICE AND RELATED  
METHODS OF PACKAGING

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the final Office Action mailed February 4, 2009, the period for response extending through May 4, 2009, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendments section of this paper.

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